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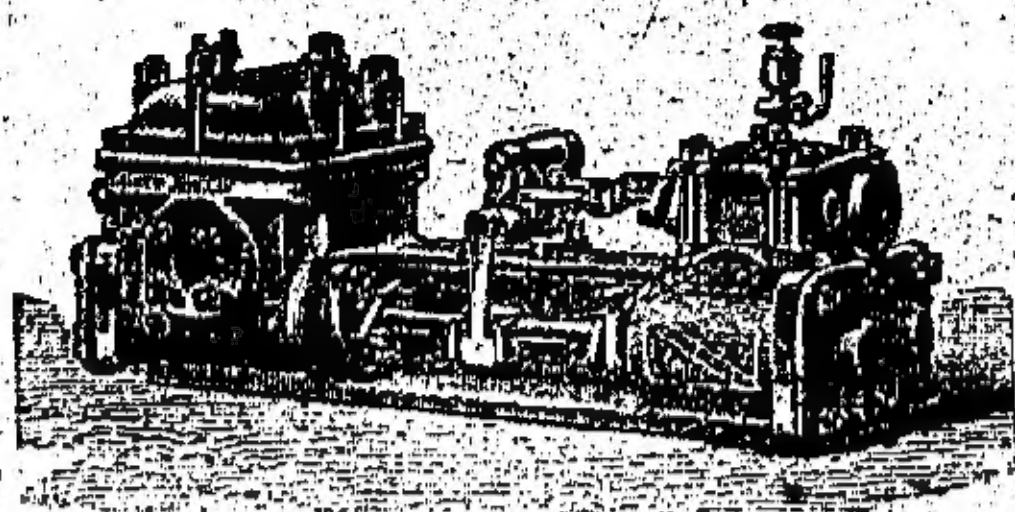
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JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON, General Managers. Hongkong, Sept. 25, 1899. 2107

VICTORIA RECREATION CLUB. ANNUAL AQUATIC SPORTS.

TUESDAY & WEDNESDAY, 26th & 27th SEPTEMBER, 1899.

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CHINA TRADERS' INSURANCE CO., LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE THIRTY-THIRD ORDINARY MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held at the HEAD OFFICE, Victoria, Hongkong, on TUESDAY, the 10th October Proximo, at Twelve o'clock, Noon, for the purpose of presenting the Report of the Directors and Statement of Accounts to 30th April last, and of declaring Dividends, exclusively of the 18th Inst. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from 28th Inst. to 10th October Prox., both days inclusive. By Order of the Board of Directors. A. S. GARFITT, Acting Secretary. Hongkong, Sept. 18, 1899. 2088

THE CHINA MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

SHAREHOLDERS are hereby informed that a GENERAL MEETING will be held in LEEDS recently in INTERIM DIVIDEND of 2% was declared on the Company's Preference Shares for the six months ending 30th June, this being at the rate of 5% per annum. The DIVIDEND WARRANTS are ready on the 2nd October. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 28th current to the 2nd Proximo (inclusive). HOLLIDAY, WIRE & CO., Agents. Hongkong, September 11, 1899. 2040

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The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 18th to 30th September, both days inclusive. DOUGLAS LIPPAIK & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, September 11, 1899. 2035

CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE Eighteenth Ordinary General MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the Office of the Undersecretary at 12 o'clock (Noon), on SATURDAY, the 14th Proximo. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 30th Inst. to the 14th Proximo, both days inclusive. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Agents. Canton Insurance Office, Ltd. Hongkong, September 25, 1899. 2137

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